IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Patent Application of Attv Dkt. 1067-107 C# M# C/A.U. 1713 SANDUJA, et al Examiner: Marie L. Reddick Serial No. 09/844,709 Date: December 8, 2004 Filed: April 30, 2001 COATING COMPOSITION FOR CHEMICAL GRAFTING Title: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. ☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: minus highest number Total effective claims after amendment 25 \$ 0.00 \$ 18.00 previously paid for 33 (at least 20) =0 Х 5 minus highest number Independent claims after amendment \$ \$ 88.00 0.00 previously paid for (at least 3) =Х 8 \$ 0.00 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$300.00 (ignore improper) Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this \$ 0.00 paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$430.00/2 months; \$980.00/3 months) Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 \$ 0.00 \$ First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$790.00) 0.00 ☐ Please enter the previously unentered , filed Submission attached Subtotal \$ 0.00 If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract -\$ 0.00 Applicant claims "small entity" status.

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated November 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9.